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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1625
Jeffrey Owen Phillips)
Serial No.: 09/481,207) Examiner: J. Fan
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For: NOVEL SUBSTITUTED)
BENZIMIDAZOLE DOSAGE)
FORMS AND METHOD OF)
USING SAME)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks pursuant to Rule 1.136 to extend the time for response to the office action dated February 23, 2001 for one (1) month from May 23, 2001. Enclosed is a check for \$55.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0019. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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